

# DGC March Newsletter

*To damage the earth is to damage your children.*

*Wendell Berry, farmer and poet*

Dear DGC Members,

Our **next meeting** will be Tuesday, March 15, at 1:00PM in the Parlor of the CCD. Our presenter will be Barbara Levine. We will have a power point presentation of slides of beautiful gardens from around the world.

**March Hospitality:** Thank you in advance for your donation. Please bring your goodies to the CCD Parlor by 12:30.

**Centerpiece:** Aida Ieraci

**Cookies:** Joan Lange, Dorothy Mulholland, Marissa Katzurin

**Fruit:** Jean Koerber, Marilyn Stone

**Cheese and Crackers:** Doug Montgomery, Jean Schwarsin, Lois Toscano

The **Ways and Means** table will be open this month and we are looking for items related to Spring. The DGC appreciates your donations.

Our **Bake Sale**, which has been put on hold for two years due to COVID, is making a comeback on Saturday, April 23. This is a great fundraising opportunity for the DGC and we are looking forward to making it a huge success with your help. If you wish to participate by helping out on that day, by baking something fabulous, by buying dessert for your weekend or by giving a monetary donation please contact Jeri Lynett at 516-851-9100 or [jlynett@optonline.net](mailto:jlynett@optonline.net) or Bernadette Gabriele at 718-809-4506 or [bernadettegabriele@gmail.com](mailto:bernadettegabriele@gmail.com). Not to worry, they will, for sure, be contacting you.

Cindy McCann has planned a wonderful wedding themed tea and small **Flower Show** for May 17. More information will follow but right now we need volunteers to help on the 16th to set up and on the 17th to help with the placement of designs and horticulture; hospitality; and cleanup. There are three design categories with four participants in each category. Please contact Cindy McCann [cromamccann444@gmail.com](mailto:cromamccann444@gmail.com) or 917-562-2025 if you are able to volunteer your time or wish to create a design. You won't want to miss out on being a part of this wedding experience.

As you are already aware, **Civic Beautification** has kept up its presence and hard work in our community and with our local schools all during COVID. Patricia Yoon has been honored as a Leader from the Partnerships for Parks as an environmentalist extraordinaire and for her roll in the DGC. Congratulations Patricia! This is well deserved.

**Nassau County Museum of Art's Exhibition:** The Beauty of the Air: Impressionism Around the Globe on Wednesday, March 30, 2022 from 11:30 to 12:30

This will be a docent guided tour of the exhibition focusing on the influence of the 19th century French impressionists on artists all across the globe.

Cost: \$20 (make check payable to the Douglaston Garden Club)

Limited to 15 people. Transportation is on your own.

Contact: Pam Timoyanis, [presa@nyc.rr.com](mailto:presa@nyc.rr.com) or 718-578-1190 (text or voice)

**Looking ahead:**

March 14 - Second District President's Council at the Planting Fields Arboretum, starting 10:30AM.

March 26 - Glenwood Landing Park Clean up

March 30 - DGC trip to Nassau County Museum of Art

April 20 - Glen Garden Club Spring Luncheon

April 23 - DGC Bake Sale

April 25 - DGC trip to Clark Botanical Gardens in Roslyn, NY - information to follow

May 17 - DGC Flower Show and Tea, "Romance in Bloom"

May 20 - DGC trip to The Elderfields Preserve and Art Guild of Port Washington, Inc.

Please be sure to check our website, [douglastongc.org](http://douglastongc.org) updated by Linda Akers and our Facebook page, [facebook.com/douglastongc](https://facebook.com/douglastongc) maintained by Catherine Touwsma for photos and information regarding DGC activities.

Hope to see you at the meeting. Please remember no parking is permitted in the numbered spaces.

Best Regards,

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